GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP OF INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of proposals received from the State Governments for setting up of international airport; and

(b) the time by which the proposals to set up new international airports would be decided?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a)&(b):- Proposals have been received from the State Governments Andhra Pradesh,Karnataka, Maharashtra, Goa,Uttar Pradesh and Kerala for setting up of international airports.Two such airports are coming up at Hyderabad and Bangalore are likely to become operational during the current year. `In principle` approval have been accorded for new airports at Navi Mumbai in Maharashtra, Mopa in Goa, and Kannur in Kerala. The proposal of Uttar Pradesh Government for setting up of an airport at Jewar in Gautam Buddha Nagar District is under consideration of the Government.